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Examiner: Nguyen, V.
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Title: Mechanism and Apparatus
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Dear Sir:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action of July 28, 2003, to further highlight why the application is in condition for allowance.

REMARKS

Claims 1, 2, 4, 5, 7-14, 16-27, 29, 30 and 32-50 remain pending in the application. Reconsideration is respectfully requested in light of the following remarks.